

BOB SNYDER, COUNCIL MEMBER

Council Member Bob Snyder was elected to the City Council in 2004. He also serves on the following boards and commissions:

- Placer County Transportation Planning Agency
- Regional Wastewater Conveyance and Wastewater Treatment and Reclamation Facility Authority
 - Placer County Economic Development Board
- Auburn Endurance Capital of the World Committee
- Auburn Performing Arts Center Liaison
- Auburn Chamber of Commerce Forum Liaison

A native of California, Bob lives with his wife, Stephanie, in Auburn and is very active in civic and community groups. He is currently serving as Chair of the Auburn Fire Safe Council and is a member of the Chamber of Commerce Community Affairs and Economic Development Commission. Over the eight years he has resided in Auburn, he has also served on the Sesquicentennial Celebration subcommittee, assisted in the organization of the Auburn Leadership program that was initiated by the Auburn Chamber of Commerce, served as Chair of the Chamber of Commerce Forum and is active with the Pioneer United Methodist Church.

After graduating from U.C. Berkeley, Bob served for four years in the U.S. Navy Civil Engineer Corps in San Diego and Guam. Upon separation from the U.S. Navy, he worked as a project manager in charge of construction on several high-rise buildings in Hawaii. In 1970, he returned to California and began a career in the master planned community business by joining The Irvine Company in Newport Beach, California. In 1972, he received a Masters degree in Planning and Public Policy from the University of California at Irvine. His career took him to San Diego and eventually brought him to Auburn to launch the Winchester Project in Meadow Vista. In 1997, he left that project and started a consulting company called Snyder Sierra.

As a third-generation California homebuilder, he has been a strong supporter of Habitat for Humanity. Working with the Foothills Habitat for Humanity program for the past five years has been a natural match for Snyder's talents, experience and energy. He served as the Chair of that Board for four years.

Bob values the wealth of history and scenic treasures in the Auburn area and enjoys white water canoeing and rafting.